Introduced by Senator Oropeza

February 18, 2010

An act relating to education. An act to add Section 712 to the Military and Veterans Code, relating to veterans.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1127, as amended, Oropeza. Education. Veterans: military-to-civilian life transition: information to family members.

Existing law establishes the Department of Veterans' Affairs within state government and sets forth its powers and duties, including, but not limited to, administration of veterans benefits programs.

This bill would require the department to make information available to family members of veterans returning from active duty that will help family members facilitate the transition from military to civilian life.

Existing law establishes the State Board of Education in state government, and, among other things, requires the state board to make plans for the improvement of the administration and efficiency of the public schools of the state.

This bill would express the Legislature's intent to enact legislation relating to public education.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no-yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 712 is added to the Military and Veterans
- 2 Code, to read:

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- 1 712. The Department of Veterans Affairs shall make
- information available to family members of veterans returning
- from active duty that will help family members facilitate the
- transition from military to civilian life.
- 5 SECTION 1. It is the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation relating to public education.